## 04-52 RICE, ET AL. V. COLLINS

DECISION BELOW: 348 F.3D 1082 (9<sup>TH</sup> CIR. 2003)

QUESTION PRESENTED

Does 28 U.S.C. § 2254 allow a federal habeas corpus court to reject the presumption of correctness for state fact finding, and condemn a state-court adjudication as an unreasonable determination of the facts, where a rational fact finder could have determined the facts as did the state court?

Cert. Granted 6/28/05